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Docket No. 3842-4043 US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Michon, F., et al.

Group Art Unit: 1645

Serial No.: 09/376,911

Examiner: DEVI, S.

Filed: August 18, 1999

For: IMMUNOGENIC  $\beta$ -PROPIONAMIDO-LINKED POLYSACCHARIDE  
PROTEIN CONJUGATE USEFUL AS A VACCINE PRODUCED USING  
AN N-ACRYLOYLATED POLYSACCHARIDE

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for Filing a Continuation Application.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
☒ is filed herewith.  
☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
Statement has already been filed

- |  | Total Months<br>Requested  | Fee for Other<br>than Small Entity | Fee for<br>Small Entity |
|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/>            | one month  | \$110.00                           | \$55.00                 |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/>            | two months   | \$420.00                           | \$210.00                |
| c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | three months   | \$950.00                           | \$475.00                |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/>            | four months  | \$1,480.00                         | \$740.00                |
| e. <input type="checkbox"/>            | five months  | \$2,010.00                         | \$1,005.00              |
| f. <input type="checkbox"/>            | An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$____), minus the fee previously paid (\$____) equals \$____ (total fee due). |                                    |                         |

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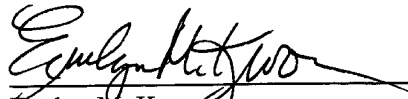
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5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. \_\_\_\_\_. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 3842-4043US1. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: January 20, 2004

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